### DOPEY TURKEYS FAIR PREY FOR TRAPPERS

Wild turkeys are astute birds, apt to be wary of any change in their environment, but researchers at the VPI Cooperative Wildlife Research Unit think they may have found a way to outwit them.

Dr. Henry S. Mosby, unit director, says they have had a certain amount of success with drugged bait, which puts the birds to sleep when they eat it.

The problem heretofore has been this: The turkeys are apt to avoid traps, which are a change in their usual surroundings, at least until they get used to them. Then, if and when trapped, being wild the turkeys act wild, and it is difficult to transport them from one place to another.

The narcotic grain should work better. Not only are the birds more likely to eat it than walk into a trap, but they can be moved peacefully while still asleep.

Currently in Virginia, wildlife researchers are trying to build up wild turkey populations in the southwest areas. Releasing turkeys raised in captivity has not been successful, as such birds seem to lose the ability to survive and raise their young when released. Mosby's men now are attempting to get wild turkeys from a game refuge in Northern Virginia and move them to southwest Virginia for the eventual benefit of hunters there. There is no hunting on the game refuge, so the northern Virginia hunters are not being deprived of anything.

The turkey transplanting program is a cooperative effort between the U. S. Forest Service, which controls the game refuge, and the State Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries. All concerned are interested in increasing the wild turkey population in the southwestern areas of Virginia.

That populations can be built quickly is evidenced by a similar program in Florida. There a population of some 2,800 wild turkeys was built up in a three-year period after transplanting only about 200 wild birds.

## Carver-Price School News

Hello Readers- The Popularity Contest is really booming! We are happy to see so much cooperation among the students. Each activity is interesting too.

Saturday night, the Varsity defeated the Alumni by a score of 54-31. Willie Lilly led the Varsity with 16 points, and Johnny Paige led the Alumni with 14 points. Last year's graduates playing were Charles Walker, Hiawatha Johnson and Algie Williams. Johnny Paige and John Browder were the other alumni players. We are always happy to have our former grads with us and note their interest in the school.

The Cheerleaders are happy to see their skirts in the making. We are expecting a great cheering section this year. You should see their beautiful sweaters, and their letters are on order now. They get into action on November 22.

Plans for the "Harvest Festival" are complete. This program promises to be very good. A queen for the high school department and elementary department will be crowned and an entertaining program presented the evening of November 22. We are asking all patrons and friends to support this program. The students and you are all working for the benefit of the school.

The Carnival Friday afternoon was a great success. We are looking forward to this event each year.

Other classes invite you to:

Movie: Friday in Gym (12th) Nov. 12.

Boxing Matches and Dance: Saturday Night in Gym. Nov. 13.

Dance: Happyland Lake: Saturday Nov. 13 (4th & 10th grades).

Movie: Nov. 17, 18,. Harrison Theater, Lynchburg (10th grade).

We were very happy to have Dr. Aubrey Keesee, Director of Education for Appomattox County speak to us in Assembly on Tuesday afternoon. Since this is American Education Week this was planned in observance of it. His talk dealt with "Transportation of Pupils" in which he related the history of pupil transportation in the United States, in Virginia, and in Appomattox County. Of the 7,500,000 pupils transported, there have been no serious accidents as a result of student drivers, which is an excellent safety record. He warned us of being cooperative with bus drivers, and to make this year a record one for safety.

Until next week, our thought: "Experience is the best of schoolmasters."

### PINE CONE COLLECTION PROGRAM IN PROGRESS

"The 1954 pine cone collection program is now in progress," said State Forester George W. Dean. Approximately 2,050 bushels of cones are expected to arrive at the cone storage warehouses at the two State Forest tree nurseries within the next month.

Dean pointed out that this year, as in previous years a large portion of the cones will be collected by youth groups such as FFA and 4-H members and Boy Scouts. Extra funds for their club treasuries are thus obtained since the Virginia Forest Service pays for the cones.

Dean cautions, "No one should collect cones for sale to the Virginia Forest Service without first contacting the county Chief Forest Warden or District Forester for detailed information on species and quantities desired." It is important, too, that the cones be picked at the proper time. The short period of time between cone ripening and seed cast varies from area to area.

The seed obtained from the cones will be used to plant future pine forestry seedling crops in the state nurseries.

### LACK OF SAFE DEPOSIT WAS COSTLY TO SECURITY OWNER

(From The American Banker)

The importance to an individual of renting a safe deposit box is emphasized in a case history of 21 lost stock certificates, written up in the October issue of "The Bulletin," house magazine of the American Surety Co. Copies of the "Bulletin" article were sent out to the press.

The inconvenience and time consumed in contacting the companies whose stock was lost, and the $2,500 spent for premiums for these bonds, could have been avoided by safeguarding the securities in the safe deposit box, it is pointed out by A. H. Russell, vice-president of the company. The story told in the "Bulletin" is as follows:

"A certain businessman, by careful management and thrift, had accumulted an assortment of stock certificates. There were 21 of them in as many different companies, valued around $43,000. Since these stock certificates were either registered in his, or his wife's name and were not endorsed, he felt safe in keeping them in what he optimistically called a strong box, in his home. One evening while he and his wife were away from home, for only about 45 minutes, some person or persons broke in and stole the 'strong box.'

"Now this individual realizes that he should not have been satisfied with the fact that the securities without endorsement were not negotiable and of no value to others. He should have thought the matter through another step and considered, 'What will I have to do in the event these certificates are lost, destroyed, or misplaced?'

"He now has the answer but unfortunately the cost came exceedingly high; namely, a great deal of inconvenience and time consumed in contacting the issuing companies, and over $2,500 in premiums for lost security bonds which American Surety wrote under satisfactory arrangements.

"We have long preached, 'If it's worth owning it's worth protecting.'

"In this case we are not advocating protection by insurance, but safeguarding of securities in a safe deposit box which our friends, the banks, are always glad to rent. Securities in a safe deposit box are much safer against the hazards of theft, fire, destruction or misplacement than at home in a drawer or 'strong box.' The cost is low compared to the expense and inconvenience of replacing such securities.

"When lost security bonds are required, we are anxious for the opportunity to write them. We do not rejoice over the misfortunes of others. Less prevention is primary interest of our company. In this article should it appear a part is saving money by buying securities, we shall have gone the premium which would otherwise be paid to us for surety bond."

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### FARMERS UNION ON SEGREGATION

The Virginia Farmers Union, by action of its Executive Committee, has gone on record as opposing the integregation of the races in the public White races in the public schools of Virginia, and urging Governor Stanley and all other officials to do everything possible within the U. S. Constitution to maintain the state's segregated school system.

The action, in the form of a resolution, was taken at a meeting of the Farmers Union Executive Committee Monday in its headquarters on North Fourth Street, Richmond.

The resolution was signed by Ralph Vance, President of the Virginia Farmers Union, who will appear on November 15 before the Gray Commission on Public Education, which is considering the issues created by the recent Supreme Court decision declaring school segregation to be unconstitutional. The high court delayed execution of the decision to await proposals from the various states on methods for putting the court's opinion into law.

The farmer's group urged Governor Stanley, the Attorney - General, the Commission on Public Education and all other public officials to "exert every possible effort to devise ways and means by which our system of segregated schools may be continued within the framework of the Constitution of the United States."

The resolution called for the "unanimous cooperation of all the people of all races" to find a workable plan to continue the school system on the present basis.

"We sincerely believe it to be in the best interest of the people of both races to continue our present system of segregated schools," the paper stated.

### THE VERSATILE APPLE

Apples are about the most versatile food in the kitchen.

What beats fried apples for breakfast?

They're delicious in salad or in sauce for lunch. Baked apples, stewed apples, and apple fritters are tops for dinner.

And apple pie is America's favorite dessert.

There is a Virginia apple for every use, including that apple-a-day eaten right out of your hand.

The Delicious apple, both regular and red Delicious, is great for eating and adds that just-right flavor to apple salads. You can use Delicious apples for baking, too.

Pie makers can't go wrong with Stayman or York varieties. Both apples are tops for all types of cooking, and the Stayman's crisp tart flavor is good for eating.

The Jonathan apple rates high for all cooking purposes and this red and yellow apple is good raw, too.

The deep red Winesap apple rates best in the fryer category and is excellent for all cooking purposes. A good eating apple, the Winesap keeps well and will be on the grocer's shelf far into the spring.

For a baking apple that holds its shape, a best is the Rome Beauty. This variety is also good in other apple cookery.

Use the Golden Delicious fresh or in apple dishes. The Grimes Golden apple is semi-tart and an excellent cooker calling for slight reductions in the amount of sugar used. They say that a meat packing plant uses every part of the pig but the squel.

The Virginia apple processing plant of today runs a close second in efficiency.

There's nary a bit of waste from the time the apple leaves the grower's truck until it is canned bottled or dried.

# County of Appomattox
## Commonwealth of Virginia

Published below is a list of tracts of land and town lots returned d linquent for the non-payment of taxes for the year 1952. This real estate be sold at Public Auction at the front door of the Court House at Appomattox, Virginia, beginning at 10:00 A. M., on Monday, December 1954, unless the tax is paid before that date. Amounts stated include tax, penalty, interest, and advertising costs.

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| **CLOVER HILL DISTRICT, WHITE** | | | |
| ell, Herbert McC. & Irma Frances | Pamplin, Va. | 88 Acres | $19.29 |
| ers, Nance & John J. Nevin | Pamplin, Va. | 20 Acres | 7.87 |
| Mrs. Susie | c/o Mrs. Andrew Mattox, 1729 Edmunds St, Lynchburg, Va. | 16½ Acres | 2.34 |
| Alvin N. & Edna W. | Pamplin, Va. | 1 Acre | 17.84 |
| bson, Walter M. | Pamplin, Va. | 70 Acres | 15.26 |
| Marie F. & Heirs | c/o Mrs. O. D. Taylor, Appomattox, Va. | 2 Acres | .32 |
| , S. L. | Appomattox, Va. | 6 Acres | 2.54 |
| **SOUTHSIDE DISTRICT, WHITE** | | | |
| mattox Aquatic Club | Appomattox, Va. | 2/3 Acres | 2.46 |
| ham, Wm., Estate | Spout Spring, Va. | 5 Acres | 1.23 |
| art, Duncan | Spout Spring, Va. | 6 Acres | 3.05 |
| **STONEWALL DISTRICT, WHITE** | | | |
| an, J. H. | c/o Henry Coleman, Gladstone, Va. | 222 Acres | 21.58 |
| , Sarah | Appomattox, Va. | 40 Acres | 4.68 |
| , Thos W. | Appomattox, Va. | 24¾ Acres | 2.11 |
| , W. A., Estate | Appomattox, Va. | ¼ Acre | .25 |
| son, Carlton W. | Gladstone, Va. | 2 Acres | 25.35 |
| son, Thomas Melvin | Gladstone, Va. | 97½ Acres | 19.41 |
| Curry | Concord, Va. | 1 Acres | .15 |
| Curry | Concord, Va. | 9 Acres | 21.91 |
| mick, C. D. | Gladstone, Va. | 25.33 Acres | 30.81 |
| mick, C. D. | Gladstone, Va. | 2½ Acres | 15.38 |
| , Luther C. | Gladstone, Va. | 1 Acre | 8.73 |
| , R. A., Estate | c/o Mrs. Carrie S. Paschal, Box 186, Batavia, Ohio | 39¾ Acres | 6.05 |
| , R. A., Estate | c/o Mrs. Carrie S. Paschal, Box 186, Batavia, Ohio | 159 Acres | 24.48 |
| , R. A., Estate | c/o Mrs. Carrie S. Paschal, Box 186, Batavia, Ohio | 37 1/3 Acres | 5.83 |
| , R. A., Estate | c/o Mrs. Carrie S. Paschal, Box 186, Batavia, Ohio | 2½ Acres | .62 |
| , Otho Luther & Richard Phelps | c/o Richard P. Wells, Gladstone, Va. | 236.13 Acres | 23.24 |
| **CLOVER HILL DISTRICT, COLORED** | | | |
| bers, William | Pamplin, Va. | 25 Acres | 4.93 |
| old, Chas. | c/o F. P. Graves Estate, Appomattox, Va. | 2½ Acres | 1.55 |
| , Dan & Latretha | Evergreen, Va. | 19 Acres | 14.81 |
| ck, A. B. | Evergreen, Va. | 1 Acre | 5.54 |
| ck, A. H. | Evergreen, Va. | 26 Acres | 3.84 |
| ck, Elvira | Evergreen, Va. | 3 Acres | 1.50 |
| Gertrude W. | 1303 Floyd St., Lynchburg, Va. | 79 Acres | 9.71 |
| Viola, R. H. & Chas. E. | c/o Frances W. Ferguson, Pamplin, Va. | 10 Acres | 2.95 |
| , John & Henry | c/o John Ingram, 1339 Ward St., Baltimore 30, Md. | 120 Acres | 17.23 |
| , John | c/o John Ingram, 1339 Ward St., Baltimore 30, Md. | 10 Acres | 1.23 |
| , Frank I., & James | 938 N. Wolf St., Baltimore 5, Md. | 50 Acres | 12.92 |
| Mary Eliza | c/o Jack Jones, Rt. 2, Appomattox, Va. | 80 Acres | 11.31 |
| arson, Sam | c/o George Morgan, Appomattox, Va. | 1 Acre | 1.60 |
| Eliza | Pamplin, Va. | 1 Acre | 1.23 |
| Fleming | c/o Jack Jones, Appomattox, Va. | 10 Acres | 1.23 |
| r, J. D. & M. L. | Pamplin, Va. | 1/2 Acre | 1.84 |
| **SOUTHSIDE DISTRICT, COLORED** | | | |
| , Estelli, | Appomattox, Va. | 80½ Acres | 24.19 |
| , Richard E. | Appomattox, Va. | 1 Acre | 27.06 |
| , Samuel Edward | Spout Spring, Va. | 9 Acres | 9.59 |
| ren, Henry | c/o Maggie Bell, 1514 E. Chase St., Baltimore 13, Md. | 2 Acres | 2.95 |
| H. | c/o Wm. Cheatham, Concord, Va. | 31½ Acres | 2.70 |
| H. | c/o Wm. Cheatham, Concord, Va. | 20 Acres | 2.95 |
| Sallie | c/o Samuel E. Dixon, Spout Spring, Va. | 2 Acres | .49 |
| el, Jubber Talmadge | c/o J. H. McDaniel, Appomattox, Va. | 1.86 Acres | 14.91 |
| es, Chas. | c/o Hulda Collins, 1008 Lincoln Ave., Dixon, Ill. | 10 Acres | 2.46 |
| **STONEWALL DISTRICT, COLORED** | | | |
| y, John H. & Georgs H. | 2631 Maple St., Detroit 7, Mich. | 35 Acres | 3.89 |
| , Margie, Annie & Children | c/o L. Carey, Atty., 913-5th St., Lynchburg, Va. | 20 Acres | 2.46 |
| , Elizabeth | c/o Virginia Dix, 428½ Shewsburg St., Charleston, W. Va. | 4¾ Acres | 1.82 |
| ck, Scott | c/o John Hancock, 36 Gilmer Ave., N.E., Roanoke, Va. | 1 3/4 Acres | .35 |
| en, Alice (Alice Green) | c/o Massie Stevens, Appomattox, Va. | 20¼ Acres | 2.25 |
| , Charles | c/o Charley Pennix, Rt. 4, Appomattox, Va. | 174 Acres | 26.64 |
| Mary Kathryn | Concord, Va. | 98½ Acres | 24.48 |
| ohn | Concord, Va. | 4 Acres | .98 |
| , Henry | Appomattox, Va. | 4 Acres | 2.21 |
| , Robert | Rt. 3, Appomattox, Va. | 4½ Acres | .40 |
| , Leola, Emma & Others | c/o Leola Hairston, 1211 - 50th St., N.E., Washington, D. C. | 16½ Acres | 2.94 |
| , Leola, Emma & Others | c/o Leola Hairston, 1211 - 50th St., N.E., Washington, D. C. | 30 Acres | 4.21 |
| , Sadie | Rt. 3, Appomattox, Va. | 50 Acres | 5.54 |
| , Sadie | Rt. 3, Appomattox, Va. | 55.21 Acres | 23.33 |
| , Sadie | Rt. 3, Appomattox, Va. | 29 Acres | 3.23 |
| , Eugene | Gladstone, Va. | 46½ Acres | 5.13 |
| , Lawrence T. & Estelle | Concord, Va. | 10 Acres | 1.23 |
| , Lawrence T. & Estelle | Concord, Va. | 10 Acres | 2.70 |
| on, Lucy | c/o Susie E. Davis, 2242 Dewitt St., Lynchburg, Va. | 3 Acres | 1.97 |
| Malala | **TOWN OF PAMPLIN, COLORED** | | |
| , John Robt. | c/o Frances W. Ferguson, Pamplin, Va. | Lot | 1.84 |
| , Thomas | c/o Frances W. Ferguson, Pamplin, Va. | I A. Lot | 1.23 |
| n, Kate | c/o Frances W. Ferguson, Pamplin, Va. | L. & H. | 2.46 |
| | c/o Frances W. Ferguson, Pamplin, Va. | 1/3 A. L. & H. | 2.46 |
| , Charles & Landora | **TOWN OF APPOMATTOX, COLORED** | | |
| , Floyd Henry & Daisy Bell | 1919 Greenmount Ave., Baltimore, Md. | L. & B. | 12.92 |
| | Appomattox, Va. | L. & B. | 21.53 |

G. B. BUCHANAN, TREASURER
COUNTY OF APPOMATTOX, VIRGINIA

## News Around Town

By Mrs. Calvin Robinson

I liked this one—

A woman in a pharmacy remarked to the druggist, "I see this medicine is advertised as good for man and beast."

"Yes," said the druggist.

"Gimmie a bottle," said the woman. "I believe it's the right combination to help my husband."

Great Northern Ry.

Dr. Spencer has a fine new souvenir of Appomattox item down at the drug store. It is an attractive envelope, some 12 by 15 inches with a picture of the McLean House and General Lee on the front, and on the inside are reproductions of General Lee's Farewell Address to the Army of Northern Virginia here on April 9, 1865. You should have this souvenir, too.

Father Darkleaf has at long last gotten his tulips bulbs set out. He ordered them months ago, and has been reading up on how to handle them ever since. It seemed that the soil was just right this week, so into the ground they went. Now we will see what happens next spring!

We were in Roanoke last Saturday and Sunday morning, and I saw several friends of the U. D. C. already there for the national U. D. C. Convention this week. The lovely dining room at Hotel Roanoke was almost filled Saturday night and Sunday morning by the U. D. C. ladies from all over the South. I had met many of them at a national convention I had attended in Washington. It surely seemed to me that the U. D. C. is still going strong from the enthusiasm of these ladies.

I have a copy of the Muscular Dystrophy Bulletin, campaign issue, Richmond, Va., for November. On Page Two is a picture of Mrs. Giles C. Engledove, who is a leader in this worthy cause. She is a native of Appomattox, sister of Mrs. L. L. Gayle, of Appomattox, and is active in many different civic enterprises in Richmond.

Mrs. Engledove is now serving as chairman of the Richmond campaign for Muscular Dystrophy.

NOTICE: Christmas Club checks will be mailed out on Monday, November 15.

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